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TEE'S SALE.

omas B. Adkisson and Elizabeth
ife, Horace Adkisson and Cor-
on the first day of June, A. D.
r certain deed of trust whereby
to Charles F. Emery, trustee,
state in said deed of trust de-
re payment of one promissory
omas B. Adkisson and Corrilla
ven date therewith, for the sum
nd dollars, payable five years
e order of Albigence H. Brown,
at ten per cent. per annum;
rust is recorded in the Recorde-
Witt county, State of Illinois,
Mortgages, page 292, and upon
d deed of trust there will be
eth, 1882, the sum of $945.60;
said deed of trust provides that
pay or cause to be paid any
rincipal sum secured by said
e when due, on application of
thereof said Charles F. Emery,
g notice three weeks in some
blished in the city of Decatur,
Illinois, shall sell said premi-
ses, in consideration of pay-
re made upon said promissory
art of said premises not here-
ed has been released from said
and whereas, default has been
yment of the above-mentioned
of said promissory note, and
er thereof, having made appli-
undersigned to advertise and
premises not heretofore re-
id deed of trust. Now, there-
hereby given that I, the under-
on Friday, the 20th day of
1882, at the hour of 12 o'clock
west outside door of the Court
city of Decatur, county of
te of Illinois, offer for sale to
der, for cash in hand, the fol-
d parcel of the real estate in
st described, to-wit: Lot four
hree chains and fifty-three and
east of a stone at the north-
section thirty-four (34), town-
north, range two (2) east of
pal meridian, on the east bank
reek ten links to a stake at low water,
s deg 15 seconds east with the
Clinton and Waynesville road
nd seventy links to a stake,
s deg. 45 sec. east four chains
links to a stone, thence south
east four chains and forty-eight
s, thence south sixteen chains
and three-fourths links to a
west ten chains and five links to
e north twenty-nine chains and
e place of beginning, containing
res. Also beginning at a stone
nd fifty links west of the north-
said section thirty-four, thence
ains three and one-half links,
forty chains to the south line of
quarter of said section thirty-
six, thence west eleven chains
e-half links to a stake, thence
ains to the place of beginning,
nd last described tract the for-
ning at a stone on the south side
and Springfield road 12 rods west
of the northeast quarter of
ectors, township and range
the north 16 degs. east twenty-
ty-five hundredths rods with said
south seventy-seven and thirty-
hs rods to the south line of said
quarter section, thence west
d fifty one hundredths rods with
ce north sixty-five and seventy-
hs rods to the place of begin-
ntake to the purchaser at such
sufficient bond of the premi-

gned has informed and believes
Dunmire, Swanes Shurtleff,
ks, John Bishop, Jacob Vogel
Moore claims an interest in
subject to said deed of trust,
er hereby notified that all right or
e in said premises will be forec-
thereof at the time and place
ed.
HARLES F. EMERY, Trustee.
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USTEES' SALE.

ory W. Michener and Hannah
the 6th day of December, 1881,
ran deed of trust, conveying to
Burrows, trustees, the following
estate, situate in the county of
e of Illinois, to-wit: The east
thirty-six quarter of section seve-
the southeast quarter of the
arter of section twenty, all in
north, in 6th, range one east of
ian; that said, to secure pay-
promissory note of the said
chener, of even date therewith,
$2,000 payable five years after
der of Anna M. Backus, with
per cent. per annum, payable
, which deed of trust is recorded
der's office of Macon county,
ks, on Page 617; that at the
ld note time of payment thereof
to December 6th, 1881;
s, it is provided in said deed of
case of default shall be made in
id principal sum of money, or
of, which the same becomes due
n application of Anna M. Back-
ld holder of said note—having
enty days notice by publishing
ewspaper printed in the county
emises are situated—it shall be
d party of the second part to
ises at public sale at such time
said party of the second part
and place, said principal note
and wholly unpaid, and upon
ial be the January 20th, A. D.
of sale, and said Anna M.
made application to the under-
rise and sell said premises un-
ms of said deed of trust. Now
ce is hereby given that we, the
trustees, shall, on Friday, the
nuary, A. D. 1882, at the hour of
of the west outside door of the
n the city of Decatur, county
State of Illinois, offer for sale
bidder, for cash in hand, the
d premises, and upon making
will make to the purchaser a
nent deed therefor.
th, A. D. 1881.
JASPER J. PEDDECORD,
LOWBER BURROWS,
Trustees.

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placed upon the Stage, and
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Webb & Co's Bank, Solon
er Bolper, Judge J. C. Denny
Cropsey.
amined critically the organiza-
arion Trust Co., of Indianapolis,
have examined with care the
g the same. It is not organized
neral incorporation laws of this
egality of its organization does
with the insurance laws of this
aw of this State does not require
apers evidencing their organiza-
public office of this State, or to
seal. It is organized in such a
s to be fully sustained by the
we do not hesitate to say that it is
zation. CROPSEY & COOPER,
Attorneys-At-Law.
s, Ind., Dec. 20, 1881.
ad the above opinion of Messrs.
oper and fully concur with them.
DENNY & GRANGER,
orneys-at-Law, Indianapolis, Ind.
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me Court of the State of Indiana.
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ortland, Maine. (feb3d&w

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Oct. 29, 1881—d&wtf

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Feb. 12, d&wtf

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IN TWOS.

Somewhere in the world there hide
Garden-gates that no one sees,
Save they come in happy twos—
Not in ones, not yet in threes.

But from every maiden's door
Leads a pathway straight and true,
Maps and surveys know it not;
He who finds, finds room for two!

When they see the garden-gates!
Never skies so blue as theirs,
Never flowers so many sweet
As for those who come in pairs.

Round and round the alleys wind,
Now a cradle bars their way,
Now a little mound, behind—
So the two go through the day.

When no nook in all the lanes
But has heard a song or sigh,
Lo! another garden-gate
Opens as the two go by!

In they wander, knowing not;
"Five and Twenty!" fills the air
With a silvery echo low,
All about the startled pair.

Happier yet these garden-walks:
Closer, heart to heart, they lean;
Stiller, softer falls the light;
Few the twos, and far between.

Till, at last, as on they pass
Down the paths so well they know,
Once again at hidden gates
Stand the twos: they enter slow.

Golden Gates of Fifty Years,
May our two your latchet press!
Garden of the Sunset Land,
Hold their dearest happiness.

Then a quiet walk again;
Then a wicket in the wall;
Then one, stepping on alone—
Then two at the Heart of All!

—W. C. Bennett.

Reserve Power.

London Observer.

Chemistry is the science of the world and of the future. It has put in our hands gun-powder, nitro-glycerine, and, above all, fulminate of gold—an explosion so terrible that if an ounce of it be left in a stoppered bottle, its grains falling among themselves by their own weight will create a convulsion sufficient to lay all London in ruins. It has given us poisons so subtle that, were we to employ such means of warfare, we could sail in a balloon over the camp of the enemy and drop upon it a shell, the bursting of which would kill every human being within a mile of its range.

The possibilities of chemistry are almost too terrible to be contemplated. As the science at present stands any student can, if he have access to a well-stored library, carry away in a pill box matter sufficient to lay London in ruins, or to poison the whole community of its inhabitants. The chemist can, as every school boy knows, convert water into ice in the centre of a red-hot crucible. He can construct a shell the size of a cricket ball, which will explode the moment it touches the water and overwhelm in flames a hostile fleet. Indeed, the chemist reduces the world to its original and primal element. For him even more than for the engineer, nothing is impossible. And yet his power, vast as it is, is limited. He can more easily destroy than construct. He can take life, but he cannot give it. He can level the city with the plain, but he cannot build it again. He can create prussic acid, but he is ignorant of its antidote. He is like the fisherman who rashly opened the vessel sealed with the ring of Suleiman Ben Daoud. The forces at his control are beyond his command; the powers he can evoke he cannot lay. It is the old story of Cornelius Agrippa—those who trifle with nature's secrets do so at their peril.

SCARLET FEVER of a very malignant type is rapidly increasing in New York. During the week ending December 17, 244 cases were reported, and sixty-four proved fatal. Last week there were probably 300 cases, and there were eighty-two deaths.

THE first performance of Italian opera in New York was given November 29, 1825. It took place at the New York Theater (another name for Park), and consisted of the "Barber of Seville," then but six or seven years old, and Signorina Garcia, who afterward became famous as Mme. Malibran, was the Rosina.

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Call at Stoner's drug store and get a sample bottle of Brown's Expectorant free of charge. It cures coughs, hoarseness, whooping cough, and consumption in its early stages.

It is a scientific preparation, admirably adapted for the cure of all throat and lung diseases. It is pleasant to take and entirely harmless.

Try it. It costs you nothing. Regular size bottles 50 cents and $1.00. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. July8d&w6m

A COMPLETE antidote to all malarial poisons are Carter's Liver Bitters, yet free from quinine and everything injurious. Try them. For sale by Hubbard & Searingen. 21

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Nov. 23, 1881—dtf

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100 dozen colored and bordered fringed Doylies at 25 cents and $1.15.
50 dozen fast edge all linen Napkins at $1.00.
50 dozen full ⅝ fine linen " " $1.50.
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50 dozen full ¾ at $2.25.
50 dozen full ¾ fine, $2.75.
Honey Comb Quilts 75 cents.
Marseilles Quilts $1.25.
50 dozen large fringed Huck Towels at 20 cents per pair.
69 dozen large fringed German Towels, at 50 cents per pair.
10 dozen all linen fringed Glass Towels, at 5 cents each.
50 dozen Knit Yarn Socks, 25 cents per pair.
A large lot of Unbleached Flannel Drawers from 25 to 45 cents.
Good All-Wool Yarn 70 cents per pound.
1,000 yards 4-4 Pacille Cretonnes at 8½.
Hand Stitched and Printed Bordered, All Linen Handkerchiefs, at 10 to 15 cents.
All of which will be found very cheap.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

Street Car Line—Fare Reduced to Five Cents.

Cars commenced running at 6 a. m this morning from the old square to the Union Depot. Will leave at 6:30 a. m., and continue to run every 20 minutes until 7 p. m; every 30 minutes until 10 p. m. An extra car will run to meet the trains. Fare reduced to five cents. Will expect every one that gets on the cars to ride to pay full fare. F. PURSER, Prest.

$25.50 to New Orleans and Return.

The official announcement is made that the Illinois Central Company will run a Special Excursion train over their road from Decatur to New Orleans, points in Florida, San Antonio, Austin and Southwestern Texas, on Thursday, Jan. 12th, 18 2. Attached to the train will be a sleeping car for the accommodation of Decatur and Macon county people. The train will leave Decatur on Jan. 12th, at 5 o'clock in the evening. Fare for the round trip to New Orleans, $25 50; to Jacksonville, Florida, and return, $45.—For further information call on the Decatur agent at the Illinois Central office.

Dec. 15-d&wtd

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PUBLIC notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of William Cantrell, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the second Monday of February, A. D. 1882, being the first day of said term.

DECATUR, Ill., Dec. 21, A. D. 1881.

dec21d3w MICHAEL ELSON, Executor.

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Dec. 16—dtf

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FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 30, 1881.

IT is rumored from Washington that Mr. Blaine will certainly be a candidate for the Republican nomination for the Presidency in 1884, and that his head quarters will be in Washington.

WASHINGTON breathes freely. The Hon. Lionel Sackville West is not a bachelor. He is a widower, and his very nice children are accounted for. More than that he married a Spanish lady out of his rank because he loved her, and the fact that she was not made much of by the English nobility never disturbed him. Washington is industriously looking for the fellow who said the British Minister was a bachelor.

EX-MINISTER WASHBURNE has never rendered better service to the cause of right and justice than since his return from France. His recently published sketch of Edward Coles, second Governor of Illinois, is not only a tribute to a noble, though little remembered man, but an exposure of the danger which Illinois ran of becoming a slave State —*Cincinnati Gazette.*

EX SENATOR GWIN, of California, is said to have discovered his wife in Kentucky, at the wash-tub, as he rode up to the house to get his dinner on his way to Tennessee and Mississippi. She had a splendid pair of bare arms and other physical charms so exasperating to Gwin that, after he had ridden a whole day on the way toward home, he rode back again, introduced himself, and proposed to marry her then and there.

MR. WILLIAM M. SPRINGER, the corn-fed representative in congress from the Springfield district, will introduce a bill soon giving government control over the telegraph system of the United States. He is said to be industriously cramming for a speech which will include details of the working of postal telegraphy in Europe, and extracts from correspondence between our government and several others about the telegraph system. Mr. Springer must have a care, or he will drift over to the side of those who believe in a strong central government.—*Chicago Journal.*

VICTORIA is a good Queen but she is costly to the English people. Her annual allowance is $1,925,000. To this must be added $350,000 yearly revenue from the duchy of Lancaster, which her Majesty undertook at the beginning of her reign to hand over to the public treasury, but has perpetually omitted to do. This raises her income from the state to $2,275,000 a year. There are annually $800,000 additional paid to the royal family; so the cost of royalty in England is $3,075,000 yearly, with use of palaces, parks, etc., wholly rent free, and "pickings."

IF the estimates given of the amounts charged by the various physicians who attended the late President are correct, the bills are exorbitant and an insult to the country. There is not a physician in the land that could not have well afforded to actually pay for the privilege of attending upon the wounded President. The celebrity given to them in a professional way was worth thousands of dollars. But the people will be willing to pay and pay liberally. They simply will not pay, if congress attends to its duty, anything like $30,000 to Dr. Agnew, or $25,000 to Dr. Hamilton, and if they have presented any such bills we are not surprised that their learning and ability were unequal to the task of saving the President.

LADIES', misses and children's Knit and Crochet Gloves and Mitts—very handsome goods—at cost. CHEAP STORE
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THE wife of Senator Mahone is represented to have been an ardent Democrat until recently. Now she is very extreme in her Republican views. She urges that every Democrat who holds an office in Virginia shall be dismissed and only Republicans appointed.

Wanted—Turkey Feathers

All the long wing and tail feathers of the turkey, picked dry, (except those from the tip joint of the wing), will bring a good cash price at Miller's Rug Warehouse, corner North Main street and Wabash railroad. dec15d&w1mo

Scientific Advancement.

Scientific advancement, it has been remarked, has been slowest and less noticeable in the care of the sick and the treatment of disease than in any other department of human knowledge. The life or death of a patient is too frequently a mere matter of caution or chance. Some great discoveries, however, have been made and certain remedies are known and used with almost infallible curative results. Such a remedy is DARAINE when a deranged liver is involved, or where disease of the Bowels, Kidneys or Spleen prevail. By A. J. Stoner, Agent.

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29—d& w2w

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The Misery of Riches

From the Cincinnati Gazette.

The amassing of riches for others to enjoy is, we believe, included among the "vanities" chronicled by the author of "Ecclesiastes." It is just now having exemplification in Boston. The late Charles O. Rogers, principal owner of the Boston *Journal*, made a great deal of money, but did not live long to enjoy it, dying when a little over 50. He left his widow $400,000 outright, $200,000 to each of his three children, and about $200,000 more to trustees to administer for the benefit of the heirs generally. The trust has been well fulfilled, and the *Journal*, in which most of the property lies, has paid very handsomely. The widow unfortunately, however, fell in love with and married John Cumming, an Englishman, her son's tutor, and a man much younger than herself. The nuptials took place about a year after her first husband's death and naturally occasioned a great deal of comment. She is now repenting of her haste, and is seeking a divorce on the ground of Cumming's alleged misconduct in Europe. It is a sad story, and a proof that riches may bring anything but happiness.

EX-PRESIDENT HAYES refuses to contribute to the Garfield monument fund, as he had previously refused to contribute to the Garfield relief fund. He says he has no money. Well, perhaps he hasn't any of his own, but he is said to have drawn $2,000,000 out of the Treasury which belonged to Sam Tilden and he might give a little of that. His refusal entitles him to the premium as the meanest cuss on God's green earth. It is gratifying to the *Globe Democrat* to be able to observe that it never said a word about him from the beginning to the end of his Administration. The next time we help to "steal the Presidency"—if indeed, the Presidency was stolen in 1876, which we deny—we shall plead for a lighter punishment than the infliction upon the country of such a creature as Rutherford B. Hayes. However, he has our sympathy in his poverty. The poor man—with $750,000 worth of real estate—can not afford to subscribe towards a monument to the memory of the man without whose assistance he never would have seen the inside of the White House as President. Let us start a penny subscription for Hayes.—*Globe-Dem.*

A NEW complaint is made against Attorney General MacVeagh in that he entirely neglected to take any steps or give any instructions relative to the prosecution of violations of the election law in the south last fall. Soon after election men were arrested, brought before United States commissioners in various parts of the south, and bound over to the grand juries of the United States court for fraud and violence, and the district attorneys, whose duty it was to prosecute them, wrote in vain to the attorney general for instructions and funds to carry on the prosecutions. Their appeals are claimed to have been entirely ignored, and the cases have been dismissed on account of the failure of the government to act. United States Judge Bond, sitting in the district of South Carolina, made some very sensible and appropriate remarks with reference to a farce of this sort that was played in his court a week ago.

Hosiery and Corsets.

In these specialties we have good inducements to show that we excel. For quantity, variety, quality or prices we know beyond doubt that we lead the trade in this neck of woods.
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The ladies of the city and county will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Einstein has decided to close out her full stock of fashionable millinery goods and notions at greatly reduced prices for cash to make room for new purchases which will soon arrive. Now is the time to get desirable goods at actual cost. The entire stock *must* be closed out within 15 days, and those who come first will get the pick of the fine display. Everything has been marked down to bottom figures. Hats trimmed at the lowest living terms. If you want real bargains in the millinery line, make no delay, but call at once at Mrs. Einstein's, No. 28 East Main street. Dec 26—d&w1t

For the Holiday Trade.

The largest and most elegant line of Celluloid Brush Sets, Color Cases, Nail Sets, Perfume Caskets, Cologne Bottles, Mirrors, Card Cases, Wall Pockets, Port monnies, and a great variety of goods suitable for presents, just opened and for sale cheap, at W. C. Armstrong's, No. 8 East Main street. dec1—tf

ST. LOUIS, MO., Dec. 29.—The records of the Coroner's office of this city shows that thirty-six homicides and eighty-two suicides were committed during the past year. Of all the suicides twenty-seven persons used firearms as a means of self destruction, nineteen poison, thirteen drowning, thirteen hanging and ten knives.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Marshal Henry says the attempt to class Dr. Boynton as a nurse in the Garfield bills is unjust. Dr. Boynton was most faithful, but was fought because he was a homeopathist. Dr. Bliss deceived Mrs. Garfield by saying the Cabinet wanted him in the case and deceived the Cabinet by saying the same of her. Dr. Boynton's attentions were for the love of Garfield. The President told Marshal Henry just before the shooting that he had given Dr. Boynton a check for $1,000 for his care of Mrs. Garfield, and he had refused to take it.

DON'T buy your overcoat until you have seen our stock and prices that tell the tale. d&wtf. CHEAP CHARLEY.

TELEGRAPHIC

GUITEAU'S "SASS."

How he Interrupted the Proceedings Yesterday.

His Impudent Letter to Don Cameron.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The court room was densely packed despite the rainy weather. A rumor was current this morning that the jury, with one exception, are satisfied of the guilt and legal responsibility of the prisoner. The twelfth juror, it is said, stoutly maintains that Guiteau is as "crazy as a March hare."

The prisoner was taken without demonstration to the prisoners' dock. This is located about twenty-five feet from the counsel upon the left of the room, a narrow passage separating it from a large window which overlooks Louisiana avenue. Guiteau glanced around the room and then out of the window, and evinced some nervousness at his apparently exposed position. Guiteau then started in to make his usual morning speech: "I noticed," he said, "as I rode up in the van this morning, the usual guard of police had been withdrawn. Now, I want to say emphatically that if I was turned out to morrow I would take care of myself, but so long as I am in the custody of this court the court is bound to protect me. There is more danger of my being shot when riding to and fro from the jail in the van than at any other time, and I want your Honor to make an order that the usual guard shall accompany me. The cranks are not all dead yet, though they are fast dying off. As a matter of fact, it would require but one crank with sufficient nerve to shoot me in the van. That's where the most danger lies. I'm making more friends every day, and getting lots of letters of sympathy. I don't anticipate any danger except from cranks."

CONFESSION BY HOOKER.

Doctor Collender was called. Before any question was put, Judge Cox remarked: "As a statement made yesterday that the court surrounded the prisoner with the usual guards and protection, he would state that the prisoner was in the custody of the Marshal, and not of the court, and whatever extra guards had been furnished had been supplied by him."

Guiteau—Well, then, your Honor, if the Marshal won't furnish a proper guard, kick him out, and let us have a new Marshal.

Mr. Scoville desired to exhibit to the witness (Dr. Collender) as an expert, a letter written by Guiteau some ten days since to Senator Don Cameron.

Guiteau interrupted from his place in the dock, and shouted out in harsh and strained tones: "Hold on, I want to say something about that letter. I protest against its being read here. It is a private letter I wrote to Senator Cameron ten days ago, asking him for a loan of $500. It was entirely a private matter. I intrusted it to my brother to give to Senator Cameron and he withheld it, in a miserable mean way, and gave it to this man Scoville. My brother had better go back to Boston and try and make some money and pay his debts. He has been a perfect nuisance on this case ever since he has been here. He and Scoville have dragged themselves into this case to make notoriety at my expense. I repudiate both of them. Scoville, you had better go back to Chicago, you are a perfect jackass in this case, and I won't have you in it any longer."

Davidge objected to the letter, but the court overruled the objection and Scoville then read:

HON. DON CAMERON—*Dear Sir:* I am on trial for my life, and I need money. I am a stalwart of the stalwarts, and so are you. You think a great deal of General Arthur and so do I. My inspiration made him President, and I am going to ask you to let me have $500. If I get out of this I will return it. If not, charge it to the stalwarts. Yours for our cause, and very cordially,
(Signed) CHARLES GUITEAU.

IN COURT, Washington, Dec. 19.

P. S.—Please give your check to my brother, J. W. Guiteau, of Boston, and make it payable to my order. C. G.

The prisoner commented: "I don't care a snap about it one way or the other. If you had presented the letter, you would probably have gotten the money, but, as you concealed it in a mean, sneaking way, you didn't get the money. It is a very good letter any way, but I don't like this way of stopping and stealing my private letters and dragging them into court."

Scoville then asked the witness: "Will you give your opinion whether such a letter as that, written to a man he did not know, does not indicate unsoundness of mind?

Answer—I don't think it indicates unsoundness of mind. It seems to me consistent with his character and habit, through life, of soliciting money from sources where he had no reason to expect it.

Guiteau—I don't think so either; it only shows what a jackass you are, Scoville.

Colonel Corkhill—Your honor, if these interruptions on the part of the prisoner are to continue, I must request the dock to be placed in another part of the room.

Scoville (impatiently)—You can place it in the cellar, if you want to, we shan't object.

Colonel Corkhill—You can't object.

Scoville—We don't desire to object; all we ask is that you will make your motion, if you have one to make, and not harangue the jury as you did yesterday.

Scoville then read to the witness the hypothetical question of the defense, and witness replied: "Upon that hypothesis, his insanity is a self evident proposition."

Dr. Walter Kemster, superintendent of the Wisconsin State Hospital for the Insane, had devoted his attention to the study of insanity for the past fifteen years. Witness was familiar with the process of taking the conformity of the head, and did not believe that much importance, as a rule, could be attached to the shape of the head in determining a question of sanity or insanity. Witness exhibited a number of slips showing the shape, as taken by the "conformator" of heads, of a number of gentlemen, including Treasurer Gilfillan, Colonel Ingersoll, Judge Carter, W. J. Sibley and Colonel Corkhill. In the case of Colonel Ingersoll, witness remarked (pointing with his finger), "This side appears flat as compared with the other."

Guiteau—That shows that Bob and I are both cracked in the same direction.

"Colonel Corkhill's head," said witness, "has a very marked depression upon one side."

Guiteau (interrupting)—I'll bet you could put your foot in the depression in his head.

Witness (continuing)—The depression is very similar to that noticed in the prisoner's head. [Laughter.]

Guiteau—Oh, he is cracked a great deal worse than I am.

Witness related incidents within his knowledge of persons who had committed crimes while acting under the influence of insane delusions, and defined what he considered insane delusions to be.

Witness did not believe in a distinct type of insanity which could be called moral insanity. It was simply a convenient term which had been invented to excuse the commission of heinous crimes. Witness had never seen a case where an insane man, after committing a crime, paraded his insanity and urged it as an excuse for his crime. Insane men do not boast of their acts, but, on the contrary, very rarely allude to them, unless a good deal of ingenuity is used to draw them out. Witness, until he had entered this court room, had never heard of a case of alleged inspiration that came from within. Always such persons claim to have heard the voice of God, or seen his image, or something of that sort. Such inspiration is never a conviction arrived at after mature reflection on the part of the person so affected.

Witness was asked if the belief of the prisoner's father, L. W. Guiteau, that disease could be cured by prayer, should be taken as evidences of insanity. He replied: "By no means. We all know that thousands and thousands of sane people prayed daily for the salvation of President Garfield's life. They would hardly have done so if they had not entertained some belief in the efficacy of prayer."

Guiteau—It shows that the Lord and the people don't agree on this business. The people are coming over to my side and the Lord's though.

Mr. Corkhill then read the hypothetical questions of the prosecution, and the witness replied to each: "Taking the facts set forth to be true, in my opinion, he was sane."

Recess.

After recess Guiteau opened the proceedings with a request for pen and ink. "If your honor please," he remarked, "I have a good many letters here that require to be answered; if I could have paper, pen and ink, I could put in a great deal of time to advantage."

The throng that besieged the doors of the court room this afternoon was greater than upon any previous occasion, and hundreds were unable to gain admission.

Another expert for the defense has been discovered through the following telegram, which Col. Reed received this morning:

JACKSONVILLE, ILL., Dec. 29.—To the Hon. Charles Reed, Washington, D. C. Dr. McFarland has treated members of the Guiteau family. He is a thorough expert, and believes the prisoner insane. You remember him in the Happs case. Subpoena him.

Dr. Kemper again took the stand. He had visited the jail, and examined the prisoner, with a view of determining his mental condition. Witness detailed at some length conversations he had with the prisoner, with occasional contradictions by Guiteau. Witness asked prisoner if he thought he was insane, and his reply was: "Not what you experts call insane, but legally insane." When asked what he meant by that term, prisoner said if he could get the jury to belive that he was acting under inspiration from the Lord when he shot the President that would be all he wanted, and would acquit him.

Col. Corkhill—Doctor, there was a young man here, a horse doctor, who—

Col. Reed (jumping to his feet)—I submit, your honor, such language is entirely improper.

Judge Cox so ruled, and Col. Corkhill somewhat contemptuously added: Well, then a doctor in a horse college.

Col. Reed—I submit the same objection.

Judge Cox—The form of the question is not admissible.

Col. Corkhill—I did not intend it as a reflection, but merely to distinguish the witness in question from those medical gentlemen who have testified here, and who have a knowledge of what they testify.

Scoville—You meant it as a reflection, and spoke in that way because the gentleman is not here to answer you.

Col. Corkhill—I said the same to him when he was here.

Scoville—Yes, and you were well answered, too. [Laughter.]

Judge Porter thought the preface to the question manifestly improper, a mistake, however, he (Porter) might have made had he been in the place of his colleague.

Guiteau had been engaged with his mail for some minutes, and here called out, "I would like to have you know, ladies and gentlemen, that my letters come addressed Hon. Charles Guiteau: quite a change from last summer."

Witness was cross examined by Col. Reed, who produced a pamphlet prepared by witness as Superintendent of the Wisconsin Insane Asylum, and read extracts from it. During the reading a dispute arose between counsel, who seem to have gradually developed a vast amount of bitterness. Judge Porter several times insinuated that Col. Reed was falsely reading for the purpose of deceiving the jury, and upon the latter's indignant denial he demanded that the reporters' notes be read in his vindication. It was asserted that counsel could defend himself if he desired to put himself on trial in place of the prisoner. Col. Reed, with an effort, kept his temper, despite the badgering of the opposing counsel, and insisted upon the reading of the notes.

The reporter read them, and his notes compared with the exception that two words were quoted in the report which counsel had not mentioned. Some fifteen minutes had been consumed in the dispute and the Court admonished the counsel that the trial must proceed without consuming so much time discussing immaterial differences.

Guiteau shouted from the dock, "I want it understood Judge Porter is making all this fuss and interruption simply to divert the minds of the jury from the point which he sees Reed has made against him. It simply shows the contemptible meanness that only such fellows as he and Corkhill can indulge in.

The cross-examination was continued by Scoville, with occasional outbursts on the part of the prisoner, until adjournment.

"He came here," said Guiteau, "as an expert for the defense; that's what he said when he was in my cell, but good living at Willard's and Corkhill's money has been too much for him.

Adjourned till to morrow.

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White " "	4.50
White loaf " "	4.75
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Butter, per pound	.25
Eggs, per dozen	.20
Turnips, per bushel	1.00
Cabbage, per head	15 to 25
Sugar, per pound	9 to 12½
Coffee, " "	20 to 25
Tea, " "	100 to 150
Lard, " "	.15
Bacon, sides, per pound	.14
Bacon, breakfast "	.16
Hams, per pound	14 to 16
Dried beef, per pound	14 to 16
Apples, per bushel	.75
Onions	.50
Sweet potatoes, per bushel	50 to 60
COAL.	
Hard coal, per ton	5 50 to 6 00
McOlive soft coal	3 50
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Wheat, per bushel	1.25
Corn, " "	50 to 55
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LAST night Sir Knight D. S. Shoffenger's residence was filled with Sir Knights and their ladies.

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"THE DRESSER" the nobbiest and latest style hat, to be had in the city only at

now 1 d&wtf B STINES

Do not waste your time looking for a turkey but go to Imboden's market and cure a roast of their prize holiday beef for your New Years dinner

500 FINE decorated and fine Bronze Parlor Lamps, to be sold during the holidays at great bargains, at Decatur Lamp Store, Central Block 17-d2w

THE Wabash Company, which in former years was noted for cutting rates is now maintaining rates much better it is stated, than some of its competitors

PARTIES wishing ice cream or ices for New Year please leave their orders as early as possible WOLF BRO

Dec 27 d3

THE 12 year old daughter of John Lynch of Decatur fell into Mrs Rys hospital in this city last night about 9 o'clock this evening

F D Corwin has plenty of Lake Winnebago fish—chestnut, No 4 and two. Orders with American Express Co receipts promptly filled [dec 30 d1f

THE first snow of the season worthy of mention fell in this region last night—the atmosphere is decidedly chilly to day and coal is in greater demand

ALBERNE AWARD D C R Syke of Madison street Chicago if he was not utterly opposed to advertising his Sure Cure for Catarrh and Atmospheric Insufflator but he says they need no advertising 20

FEVER and ague and chills and fever kept off and prevented by using the purely vegetable remedy Carter Liver Pills An antidote to all malarial poisons Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen

HOLIDAY Goods at Fleury the French Cutter The finest line of silk mufflers, ties suspenders etc, to be had in the city 20 1&wtf

THOMSON'S patent unbreakable glove fit Corsets at he CHEAP STORE

B IS 22 d&w2w

THE red steer Blackstone's slaughtered by Imboden Bros is without question the best steer ever killed here Will be on the blocks at Imboden's market early to morrow morning

EVERYTHING new and first class Satisfaction always given, at Cheap Charley's Square Dealing Clothing House. 8d&wtf

THE funeral of the late John Murphy who met his death accidentally at the depot, took place from St Patrick's Catholic church this forenoon The remains were laid at rest in the Catholic cemetery

NEW Carpets new Wall papers new Window shades decorating, new prices Abel McCleave turning things upside down Search card in another place E 1 d&wtf

MEN from indigestion, dyspepsia and hearty eating is relieved at once by the use of Carters Little Liver Pills one pill taken after dinner Don't forget to call for sale by Hubbard & Swearingen 25

DR MARSHALL'S Lung Syrup will not cure consumption but will give relief when coughing Consumptives should all use it Price twenty five and fifty cents Sold by 24

COME and see us and don't forget that we are the only house that carries a fine line of silk mufflers, suspenders and ties suitable for holiday presents Fleury, d&wtf The French Cutter

JOHN MCCORMICK, the man who brutally assaulted his wife on Jackson street, near the old Revere House, the other evening, got off easy yesterday afternoon in Justice Albert's court Mrs McCormick did not appear to prosecute her husband as she threatened she would, and John was allowed to depart on paying the costs Frank McCormick was fined $3 and costs on a charge of drunkenness Thus ended one of the most notable local sensations of the week Its quiet termination is somewhat exasperating to outsiders who emphatically denounce the husband for the alleged assault on his wife and many will wonder why the woman did not appear in court It was simply one of many quarrels and it is supposed that there is now a dead calm in the McCormick household

IT appears that the Wabash company is badly in need of more locomotives Says the Danville *News* of the 29th "The motive power on the great Wabash is not equal to the demand of late From an official we learn that this shortage is owing to the new lines passing into the Wabash people's hands Whenever they get hold of a new road the business on the newly acquired line increases by Gould's 'wire pulling' and a shortage of motive power results Temporary relief is sought from the main line until now the main line is hard up for locomotive power"

JUDGE TOURGEE author of "A Fool's Errand" will deliver a lecture in Chatterton's Opera House, Springfield, under the auspices of Stephenson Post, No 30, Grand Army of the Republic, for the benefit of the relief fund of the Post, on Tuesday January 3 1882 Subject, "The Era of Humanity" Admission 50 cents The lecturer is as brilliant as a speaker as he is interesting as a writer and the Free Press speaks for him as a writer as everybody knows Several citizens of Decatur will probably go to the capital to hear the lecture

A WEEK ago to night Christmas festivities were held at the Methodist church at Macon and a Decatur young lady participated in the exercises Says the *Intelligencer* Miss Lillie Brandom of Decatur recited two pieces in an exquisite manner and was much admired for her pleasing style Nature has done much for Miss Brandom and she has diligently improved her gifts She has a future of great promise before her

BY authority of law in him vested Governor Cullom has reconstructed the penitentiary districts of the state changing the following counties from the northern district to the southern Calhoun Christian Clark Coles Cumberland Douglas Edgar Green Jersey Macoupin Montgomery Multrie and Shelby Persons sentenced from these counties will be sent to the Penitentiary at Chester instead of to Joliet as formerly

A FALSE alarm The Macon *Independent* gives place to the following denial this week "There is no truth in the story that one of W R Whittaker's and one of S G Washburn's daughters have the small pox They were vaccinated only last week, and the virus took a good hold which was aggravated by their going out and taking cold They have recovered and there is no danger

A LETTER from Springfield to the Decatur Herald says Secretary of State Harvey P Dale and Conductor, attempted to commit suicide at Lincoln He had a difficulty with his wife The weapon used was a razor with which he slashed himself badly and was afterwards put in a strait jacket and taken on the train to the city of Springfield where he is now in the city

THE Illinois Midland Railway Company will give a cheap excursion to Baxter Springs and Fayetteville Kansas on Tuesday Jan 10 when parties may have a look at Kansas lands Round trip tickets good for 10 days are now on sale at the Midland office in this city See Mr Geo B Spittler the agent 0 d1d

A PROTRACTED meeting will be commenced at the James Chapel on West Main street on to morrow (Saturday) evening, when at 7 o'clock Rev J P Dimmitt will occupy the pulpit On Sunday morning and evening Rev Thomas Bennell will preach At the services he will attend all are invited

ELECTION of officers for the ensuing year this (Friday) evening, Dec. 30, for the Decatur Y M C A All present members and all members will please take note of this and be present at eight o'clock this evening

THE Leonard party last night was a huge success, there being 60 couples on the floor when the grand march was called More dances will be given next year the first now Thursday night The music was superior last night

CHURCH

The regular meeting of the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle will not be held this evening on account of other engagements upon the part of members but the meeting for next week will be held as usual and at the place appointed for the meeting this evening

The Monument Fund

Subscriptions of one dollar to the Garfield Monument Fund will be received at the banking houses of Pedlecord Burrows & Co J Millikin & Co Decatur National Bank and R P Lytle Postmaster J J PEDDECORD Authorized Agent for Macon county Dec 28—d1t

Ladies Underwear

We show a line of this class of goods, in merino and various grades of scarlet exceeding anything in the city For variety excellence of goods and *low prices*, you'll find our stock unsurpassed Big 18 CHEAP STORE 29—d&d&w2w

Skirts

We have about 100 splendid skirts, felt and farmers satin, which we offer at about cost CHEAP STORE Big 18 29—d&w1w

A SERIOUS CHARGE

A Former Pastor of Decatur in Trouble at Bloomington—His Denial.

The following is a portion of a column sensational article which appeared in the Bloomington *Pantagraph* of Thursday, and below we append the denial of the accused person, who is none other than Rev H O Hoffman, who was pastor of Stapp's Chapel several years ago Soon all sorts of reports concerning the case will be afloat in the city, and we print the following statement from the columns of the *Pantagraph* that there may be no misrepresentation

It becomes the unpleasant duty of the *Pantagraph*, as the faithful chronicler of current events, to notice certain scandalous rumors that affect the good name of one of Bloomington's most honored clergymen, who is well known throughout the State as one of her most gifted ministerial sons

These rumors are of such a nature, and have now become so widely circulated in this city that they can no longer be ignored For the good name of the accused, for the sake of the church of which he is pastor, and in the interests of society at large, it is imperative that they should be looked into That the clergyman referred to has taken this view of the matter appears in his card inserted in another part of this article

Something like six weeks ago, a rumor reached the *Pantagraph* from the country that at Holder resided a young unmarried woman, formerly employed as a domestic in the family of Rev H O Hoffman pastor of the First Methodist church of this city, who was the mother of a young babe and that the girl's mother declared that Mr Hoffman was the natural father of the child

THE STORY SEEMED SO INCREDIBLE

that it was for the time being ignored as unworthy of credence, and but another instance of the disposition too frequently shown to attempt to blacken and ruin the private character of public men For a time it seemed as though the rumor would not gain currency But within the past two weeks and especially within a few days the tongue of scandal has been busy spreading the story in this city and Normal It is understood that the matter has been brought before the official board of the First Methodist church, whose members have been consulting together about the proper course to pursue on behalf of the church And the *Pantagraph* is also led to believe that Mr Hoffman courts and it is not unlikely will demand an investigation by the proper church authorities, while his card intimates that legal proceedings are likely to be instituted also

HOFFMAN'S CARD

The following card is also taken from the *Pantagraph*

I wish to say in relation to the shameful matters put before the public in connection with my name, that there is no foundation of truth whatever in anything placed to my discredit by these rumors I have placed these rumors into the hands of competent lawyers, with instructions to take such action as will enable the public to ascertain the truth What is dearer to me than life my honor is in the hands of my fellow men and I ask your kindly indulgence and good will until the parties conspiring against me are exposed H O HOFFMAN

The woman in the case is Zetella C Robinson daughter of Silas Robinson of Holder, a small town in McLean county She had been a domestic in Mr Hoffman's family from the fall of 1879 up to the summer of 1880, when she left The *Pantagraph* gives the following description of the girl In personal appearance she is short, rather thick, but not heavy, her hair is brown eyes light, and with little expression or animation in them, and complexion sallow In dress she is not habitually neat, and in person and manners is described as unattractive She is a girl of no great mental force good natured but not particularly intellectual Her age is probably between twenty and twenty five Altogether she is not one who would be likely to be regarded as very attractive

The whole matter will be thoroughly investigated by the proper parties, and the public should withhold their judgment until a decision is rendered

CHOICE CUTS

For New Years on the Blocks at Imboden Bros.' Market

Owing to the warm weather which prevailed last week, Imboden Bros did not slaughter all of their Christmas steers purchased at the fat stock show in Chicago and brought here expressly for the Decatur trade, and they reserved four of the herd for their army of customers for New Year's eating To day the prize red steer "Blackstone and the large cream steer "White Lad" were slaughtered and will be placed on the blocks at Imboden Bros meat market to morrow morning Late announcement will be hailed with pleasure by all our people who wish choice cuts for New Year's and holiday dinners Call at the market to morrow morning and make your selections of magnificent roasts and steaks In addition to the above Imboden Bros' have a full supply of choice mutton, pork spare ribs sausage sliced ham etc Call and see them to morrow and provide yourself with the finest meat the market affords

BARGAINS

—IN—

MEN'S UNDERWEAR
Men's Hosiery
Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs
Laundried and Unlaundried Shirts
Men's Gloves and Mitts,
Men's Working Shirts
And Men's Furnishing Goods generally
Big 18 CHEAP STORE
29—d&od&w2w

Suitable, Serviceable, Sensible

Holiday Goods, at Wingate's Decatur Lamp Store, Central Block
Dec 20—d2w

THERE is no one article in the line of medicines that gives so large a return for the money as a good porous strengthening plaster, such as Carters Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters. 28

Misses' Kid Gloves,

All sizes—in black only—at 25 cents a pair CHEAP STORE
Big 18 29 d&w1w

ONE look at our styles and prices will insure your custom Our motto is honest and fair treatment CHEAP CHARLEY. 8d&wtf

A Quiet Wedding.

The residence of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs Guy Lewis, on North Main street last evening at 8 o'clock, was thronged with a large company of relatives and friends, who had assembled there in response to invitations to witness the marriage of Miss LAURA L LEWIS and Mr HENRY A WOOD, book keeper at Peddecord Burrows & Co's bank The ceremony was performed by Rev W H Prestley pastor of the Presbyterian church, and after the congratulations came choice refreshments, served party fashion Among the guests present from a distance were Mr and Mrs John S House of Springfield a relative from Bloomington, and Mr Charles Pollock, of Danville The bride was the recipient of a large number of useful and beautiful gifts mostly silverware Mr and Mrs Wood commenced keeping house last night in their home, second house north of the Wabash railway, on the west side of North Main street The REPUBLICAN joins with their many friends in wishing them all manner of happiness and prosperity

A $14 000 Christmas Gift

An important transfer of city property has taken place in Decatur The fine residence of Mr D W Brenneman, on the southeast corner of Franklin and East William streets has been purchased by Mr F F Randolph and the price paid was $14 000 Mr Randolph will be given possession in April next Mr R bought this very desirable residence as a Christmas present for his wife It was a generous gift and is sufficiently large and beautiful to make any housewife happy

Rev Maynard's Resignation

Rev F W Maynard who came to Decatur recently from New York and became pastor of the Christian Church, resigned yesterday and will probably become pastor of his old charge at Brooklyn, N Y He was still in the city at noon to day and was seen at the St Nicholas Hotel by a REPUBLICAN reporter He pronounces as false the damaging statement which appeared in the *Review* this morning charging him with indulgence in the flowing bowl, and says one of the best law firms in the State will compel the publisher to prove his statement or pay damages It has been asserted that through Rev Maynard's efforts the congregations at the Christian church have been quadrupled in size, sixty new members added to the Sabbath school and that the interest in the prayer meetings has been greatly increased The reverend gentleman says he will leave for the east this afternoon but he will return in a few days

A Pleasant Affair

The elegantly appointed and new residence of Sir Knight D S Shellabarger was the scene of a most enjoyable social party last night it being the occasion of a genuine surprise on the head of the family perpetrated by his brother members of Beaumanoir Commandery, No 9 Knight Templars The surprise was planned at a recent meeting of the Commandery, and Mrs Shellabarger was apprised of the secret in order that the intended invasion might prove a success Mr Shellabarger attended a meeting of the board of directors of the Public Library last evening, and while he was absent the Sir Knights their wives and ladies all well provided with edibles for a feast gathered at the Shellabarger residence and when the person in whose honor the surprise was planned arrived home, he was no doubt astonished to find such a large company of friends present to welcome him The surprised Sir knight however soon recovered from his temporary embarrassment and proceeded to aid his wife and daughter in extending the hospitalities of the household to the welcome visitors Sir Knights Dr Davis and Judge Nelson made short addresses appropriate to the occasion after which the party was ushered in to the spacious dining room where a magnificent feast was spread The remaining hours of the evening were given up to pleasant social chat, when the company spoke their adieux and departed for their separate homes all well pleased with their evening with the royal knight and his family

ONE TALE IS GOOD UNTIL ANOTHER IS TOLD

We are greatly obliged to some of the *Leading* merchants of Decatur for the manifest interest they take in our business—particularly that part which relates to our expenses And that they may not suffer in mind we assure them we understand the situation exactly Our expenses are large Not as large as Marshall Field & Co nor A T Stewart & Co and we do not care so large as all the retail dry goods stores in Decatur together—by—say from thirty to forty thousand dollars a year And yet our sales will equal the combined sales of the latter Then in buying goods in large quantities and from first hands we save from thirty to forty thousand dollars a year more So we have the advantage of from sixty to eighty thousand dollars a year, in competing for the trade of this section And our worthy competitors who make it a business to agitate this subject will please state *whose customers* pay this *great difference in expenses* Very Respectfully

Dec 14d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

Coal Oil at Your Door

Let every one who dislikes to go to the store with the coal oil can remember that they can have coal oil or gasoline lamp burner wicks, chimneys etc, left at their door any day in the week by Mr Gaspard Buziau Mr Buziau is well known to most of our people as an honest industrious old man, and by patronizing him they will not only assist him, but at the same time secure the best of oils as cheap or cheaper than they can be purchased at the stores Mr Buziau has a cart fitted up expressly for his business, and will make the rounds of the city every day Everything pertaining to lamps and oil constantly on hand Reserve your orders until he calls upon you

Dec 28—d2w

REASONABLE prices No unreliable goods' at Cheap Charley's Square Dealing Clothing House

PERSONAL MENTION.

Harry Rollins arrived in the city to day

Conductor Bert Corneau, of the Wabash, is able to be around again

A Baer arrived home from Cleveland last evening

Charles F Shilling registered at the New Deming last evening

Miss Bex Phillips, of Jacksonville is visiting Mr C A Carter and family

F F Randolph will leave for Kansas to morrow, to be absent a month attending to business matters

Miss Effie Rainey, of Belleville has been spending the holidays with relatives in this city

George R Cobleigh General Superintendent of the Peoria Decatur & Evansville Railroad has tendered his resignation to take effect January 1

Geo P Miller amused himself this morning by handing out cans of oysters and cigars to his friends

Springfield *Journal* Miss Dolly Sturgess, of Macon, Ill, is visiting her cousins, Miss Meta Wright and the Misses Sutton in this city

J Proctor Fickles will go to Mechanicsburg, Pa next spring where he will locate permanently with his family and engage in business

Miss Annie LaVeque of Terre Haute, and Miss Kate Anderson of Philadelphia are visiting Mrs Charles Linn Miss Mamie Kenney and other relatives

S P Rounds, well known all over the country as a dealer in printing material at Chicago is assured by President Arthur that he will be appointed Public Printer

Rev Joseph Moser of Salem Ill father of J R Moser arrived in the city last evening from the south. He will leave for Washington City by way of Chicago, on Saturday and will visit relatives and old friends in Pennsylvania

Charley Pollock of Danville, who is partly disguised by the appearance of a mustache, attended the Wood Lewis wedding and the Leonard Assembly last night

Clay Dempsey and George Myers the active 'road agents' for the Decatur Furniture Company are home for the present They will start out again January 15th

Mr and Mrs J W Averitt wish to return thanks to those friends who so kindly assisted them during the illness and at the funeral of their niece, Little Nellie Smith

EARLY CLOSING NOTICE

DECATUR ILL Dec 26 1881

We the undersigned merchants agree to close our respective places of business at 6 30 p m Saturdays excepted commencing January 2d and ending March 31 1882

Roach & McReynolds	S G Hatch & Bro
Linn & Scruggs	N Hagerman
F D Hays & Co	Abel & Locke
Bruce & Gassler	R Einstein
Sol Moritz & Co	Emma Williams
Annie Miller	R C Hamsher
C J Dawkins	M Faulkner
M L McDonald	Mrs D S Wilkins

do

If you want mill feed corn or oats you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER
Dec 18—d&wtf

Shawls

We have still in stock a few dozens very handsome Beaver Shawls which we offer very low CHEAP STORE
29—d&w1w

MARRIED.

In this city on Thursday evening Dec 29 1881 at the St James German Catholic Church by Rev Father Lammert Mr DON P HARDY eldest son of Capt A W Hardy and Miss EMMA BOSPICKER both of Decatur

The ceremony was witnessed by only a few friends The bride was attired in a very handsome bronze green dress of fine texture which was tastefully made by Miss Nellie Simonis After the ceremony Don and bride departed for their future place of residence on South Franklin street which had been previously furnished and equipped by the provident benedict On arriving at the house they found the rooms illuminated and filled with friends and about all the Hardys big and little, in town who gave the wedded couple a warm reception A fine supper was discussed, the happiness and health of the bride and groom were toasted and all went merrily

In this city on Friday Dec 23 1881 by Judge Gray Mr CHARLES HURD of Springfield Ill and Miss IDA V FORGEY of Clinton, Ill

In this city on Thursday evening Dec 29 1881 at Millers Lunch Parlor by Thomas B Albert J P Mr GEORGE P MILLER and Miss ADDIE CALVIN late of Dayton Ohio

George tried single blessedness for a few days but he got tired of paddling his own canoe alone and so he took unto himself a new partner of his joys and sorrows

In this city at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs William Bennett on Thursday Dec 29th 1881 by Rev J R Locke Mr CHARLES RICH and Miss SERANA LAWSON

There was a large company of friends present and the bride's presents were numerous useful and beautiful

At the residence of the officiating minister Thursday evening Dec 29 1881 by the Rev W H Prestley Mr WILLIAM H SMITH and Miss MARY A DAWSON both of Chester Station

At Mt Pulaski Ill on Thursday evening Dec 29th 1881 Mr ANDREW ROTHFUS of Decatur and Miss L DONNER, of Logan county

Mr Rothfuss and bride have arrived in the city and will reside on West Wood street—They will be given a reception at Turner Hall to night by their friends

In this city on Thursday Dec 29th 1881 by Rev B Curtis J P Mr JOHN WORKMAN and Miss VIOLA A WILKERSON both of Monwequa, Ill

DIED.

In this city on North Morgan street at 11 30 p m Dec 28 1881 of pneumonia Mrs BETTIE RAY wife of William Ray an employee at the Decatur Furniture Factory in the 21 year of her age

The funeral will occur to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

The boards adjourned for city until Tuesday morning Jan 31 1882

The following Quotations at McWhorter & Rollins Commission Rooms at 1 p m To Day

CHICAGO Dec 30

Wheat—$1 Jan $1 26 Feb $ March
Corn—1 Dec 1 Jan 62 Feb 67 May
Oats—4 Dec 44 Jan 44 Feb 4 May
Pork—$1 Jan $17 Feb $17 25 March
Lard—11 62 Jan $11 17 Feb 11 March

UNION STOCK YARDS

Hogs—Estimated receipts 14 000 Shipments — light hogs $6 10 to $6 40 mixed $6 70 to $6 60 heavy $ to $ Cattle receipts 200

CAR LOTS

Wheat, —70 Corn 5 Oats 4 Rye,

TOLEDO Dec 30

Wheat—$1 Dec $1 Jan $1 41 Feb $1 4 March

HolidayGoods

Direct from the Manufacturers and Importers.

LINN & SCRUGGS

Are offering Extraordinary Bargains in Black and Colored Silks, of the most Celebrated Makes,
Black and Colored Plushes and Velvets,
Black and Colored Satins,
Black and Colored Cashmeres,
Rhadames, Satin Marveilleux, Satin de Lyon,
Staple and Fancy Dress Goods,

FINE FURS,

Plush, Cloth, Silk and Fur Cloaks,

Silk Umbrellas, Gents' Ties and Scarfs, Silk Handkerchiefs, Ladies' Scarfs, Portemonaies, Russian Card Cases, Pocket Books, Satchels, Fancy Baskets,

GLOVES, HOSIERY,

An Elegant Assortment of

CORSETS!

Table Linens, Napkins and Towels.

A Large Lot of WALL-PAPER, in the Newest Styles; and the Handsomest Assortment of CARPETS ever shown in this market.

Orders by mail will receive prompt and careful attention, with prices guaranteed

LINN & SCRUGGS,

COURT HOUSE BLOCK CORNER.

Decatur Dec 7 1881—1&y f

Decatur's Largest ONE-PRICE CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT!

Corner of OLD SQUARE under the Management of

FLEURY,

THE FRENCH CUTTER.

This Establishment is the youngest of all the Clothing Stores in Decatur, and still it is the largest and finest of its kind.

SOME THINGS WE DO NOT NEED TO BLOW ABOUT.

1st—About the size of our Storeroom, because one glance convinces one, that it is the largest, nicest, and best lighted Clothing Salesroom in Decatur.

2nd—About the winding stairway leading to our up stairs Merchant Tailoring Department, because we see no bing on it to blow about.

3rd—About our increasing business, because we take it as a natural consequence of our efforts to please our patrons

4th—About our Large Stock, because comparison will tell who is bragging

5th—About the quality of our stock, because the eating of the pudding is the proof

6th—About the low selling price on all goods, because our low prices have earned us the name, "LEADER OF POPULAR PRICES."

7th—About our guaranteeing every article we sell, because that is a rule of our store made known in our first advertisement.

In addition we would call your attention to the fact that

Our MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT

is under the personal supervisionship of

FLEURY, the French Cutter.

All Goods are made at Home (not in the wholesale shops in the East) and sold at popular prices

Our GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT is stocked with the best Goods, adapted for all classes of Trade.

Our Department of HATS and CAPS comprises the staple as well as the nobby styles and recommends itself to the old and young.

The TRUNK and VALISE Department is constantly kept complete

REMEMBER OUR FALL STOCK, in every Department, is COMPLETE, and that we endeavor to be worthy the name given to us as

LEADER OF POPULAR PRICES.

FLEURY, THE FRENCH CUTTER.

CORNER OF OLD SQUARE.

Decatur, Nov 1 81—d&wtf

We endeavor to answer through this enumerative list the question so often asked, "WHAT SHALL I BUY FOR CHRISTMAS?" Read it all and you will surely SETTLE THE QUESTION.

DIAMOND EAR RINGS, Cluster and Soltaire Rings, Pins, Bracelets, Studs, Collar and Chemise Buttons.

Handsome Roman Sets,
" Byzantine Sets,
" Florentine Sets,
Single Bar Pins,
Separate Ear Rings,
Cleopatra Drop Ear Rings.

500 STYLES SET RINGS, embracing all the latest styles in Opaline, Intaglia, Monogram Onyx, Incrusted Onyx, Jasper, Garnet, Pearl, Amethyst, Topaz, Cameo, Turquoise, and a hundred different combinations of different Stones. These goods we have in every price.

GOLD WATCHES, Gold Chains, Gold Chatelaine Watches, also Silver and Nickel Chatelaine Watches.

ELEGANT GOLD NECKLACES, Woven Gold Necklaces and Guard Chains, Children's Gold Necklaces.

Gold Link Sleeve Buttons,
Gold Thimbles,
150 Patterns in Bracelets.

A Great Variety of SCARF PINS for gentlemen—some very elegant in design.

SILVER TEA SETS, Epergnes, Water Sets in Hammered Damacine and many other styles of finish.

TOILET SETS in endless variety.

The loveliest of Jewel Caskets, and lots of them.

Toilet Mirrors, Hand Glasses, Berry Dishes, Soup Tureens, Cake Baskets, Combination Sets, Cheese Bowls, Jelly Bowls.

The Grandest Line of Casters at the Lowest Prices. We make a specialty of Casters, and can beat the world on low prices in this line.

All kinds of SILVER SPOONS— Berry Spoons, Ladles, Jelly and Sugar Spoons, Olive Spoons [see them], After Dinner Coffee Spoons, Butter Knives, Cheese Knives [see them], Nut Picks, Elaborate Nut Bowls, Nut Crackers, Ice Cream Spoons and Scoops.

Silver Portmonaies, Tobacco Boxes, Match Boxes, Cigarette Boxes, Brandy Flasks, Wine Casters, Jiggers and Strainers, Pepper Boxes, Pepper Obelisks, Knives and Forks.

Children's Silver Knives, Forks and Spoons, Silver Rattles, Silver Bread and Milk Bowls and Plates.

Silver Shaving Mugs, Shaving Sets, Bar Spoons and Cork Screws, Card Receivers, Trays, Servant's Silver Card Trays Silver Fruit and Pocket Knives, Silver Glove and Shoe Buttoners, Cuspadores, Crumb Trays, Crumb Knives, Chocolate Spoons.

GOLD LOCKETS,
Ladies' and Gent's Gold Spectacles,
Gent's Gold Fob Chains (again stylish),
Gold Bangle Bracelets,
Children's Gold Rings,
" Set Rings,
Gold Crosses,
" Toothpicks,
" Pencils,
" Pens and Holders.

An Elegant Line of Bronzes, Placques, Fancy Card Receivers, Candelabras, Library Sets, Separate Inkstands. Toilet Sets, Mantel and Dresser Ornaments, Candlesticks, Bronze and Polished Brass Card Tables, Sconces, Placques, and a great many lovely goods in Longwy and Polished Brass. These goods must be seen to be appreciated. We are the only ones here who carry any line of these goods, and we invite your special inspection of them.

BRONZE and MARBLE CLOCKS are to be found in large variety and at prices you cannot find in the cities.

We have, also, lovely Hand-painted Kid Handkerchief and Glove Sets, Cigar and Match Sets. Young ladies should see these before selecting their presents for gentlemen.

Carving Sets, in Ivory and Plain Handles. These goods are very cheap.

In conclusion, we would say there are many things among our goods this year that we are obliged to overlook in this enumeration. We would specially invite all who are undecided what present to buy, to look our stock over, feeling sure you will find something you want, or just what some friend is looking for. We truthfully claim to carry a great many lines not to be found elsewhere in our city, and also to show the

Latest Holiday Patterns

in everything. We think we can show you just what you want, and we know we can show you everything for less money than small dealers.

We are making a special sale of Gold and Silver Watches, and can save any one who wants to buy a watch 20 to 25 per cent.

500 Watches now on sale

RESPECTFULLY,

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.

—THE—

"HAINES!"

—IS THE—

BEST UPRIGHT Piano-Forte

IN THE WORLD!

And has received more indorsements from Leading Artists, as being

Strictly First-Class

Than all other Upright Piano-Fortes combined.

The Famous

Western Cottage ORGAN

Stands at the HEAD of ALL REED ORGANS

for its Superior Quality of TONE, POWER, and DURABILITY. It is the only Organ made with the DOUBLE and DIVIDED HARMONIC ATTACHMENT.

Call and examine my Instruments before placing your orders.

SPECIAL BARGAINS

Will be offered during the Holidays.

C. B. PRESCOTT,

53 OPERA BLOCK.

Nov. 22, 1881—d&w3mo

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Thomas B. Adkisson and Elizabeth Adkisson, his wife, Horace Adkisson and Corrilla Adkisson, on the first day of June, A. D 1874, made their certain deed of trust whereby they conveyed to Charles F. Emery, trustee, certain real estate in said deed of trust described, to secure payment of one promissory note of said Thomas B. Adkisson and Corrilla Adkisson, of even date therewith, for the sum of two thousand dollars, payable five years after date to the order of Allegence H. Brown, with interest at ten per cent. per annum; which deed of trust is recorded in the Recorder's office of DeWitt county, State of Illinois, in Book 12 of Mortgages, page 292, and upon which note and deed of trust there will be due January 20th, 1882, the sum of $1045 00; and whereas, said deed of trust provides that upon failure to pay or cause to be paid any part of said principal sum secured by said promissory note when due, on application of the legal holder thereof said Charles F. Emery, after publishing notice three weeks in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, shall sell said premises; and whereas, in consideration of payments heretofore made upon said promissory note, all that part of said premises not hereinafter described has been released from said deed of trust; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of the above-mentioned amount balance of said promissory note, and the legal holder thereof, having made application to the undersigned to advertise and sell all of said premises not heretofore released from said deed of trust. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, shall, on Friday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1882, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, at the west outside door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following parts and parcels of the real estate in said deed of trust described, to-wit: Lot four (4), beginning three chains and fifty-three and one-half links east of a stone at the northwest corner of section thirty-four (34), township twenty (20) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian, on the east bank of Ten Mile creek to a stake at low water, thence south 48 deg 45 seconds east with the survey of the Clinton and Waynesville road eight chains and seventy links to a stake, thence south 55 deg. 45 sec. east four chains and fourteen links to a stone, thence south 14 deg. 30 min. east four chains and forty-eight links to a stake, thence south sixteen chains and forty-four and three-fourths links to a stake, thence west ten chains and five links to a stake, thence north twenty-nine chains and two links to the place of beginning, containing twenty-five acres. Also beginning at a stone seven chains and fifty links west of the northwest corner of said section thirty-four, thence east eleven chains three and one-half links, thence south forty chains to the south line of the northwest quarter of said section thirty-four to a stake, thence west eleven chains three and one-half links to a stake, thence north forty chains to the place of beginning, except from said last described tract the following: Beginning at a stone on the south side of the Clinton and Springfield road 33 rods west of the east line of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three, township and range aforesaid, thence north 61 degs. east twenty-four and ninety-five hundredths rods with said road, thence south seventy-seven and thirty-four hundredths rods to the south line of said last mentioned quarter section, thence west twenty-two and fifty one hundredths rods with said line, thence north sixty-five and seventy-four hundredths rods to the place of beginning, and will make to the purchaser at such sale a good and sufficient deed of the premises sold.

The undersigned is informed and believes that Samuel Dunmire, Sylvanus Shurtleff, Percival H. Mills, John Bishop, Jacob Vogel and Clinton H. Moore claim some interest in said premises subject to said deed of trust, and they are hereby notified that all rights or equity they have in said premises will be foreclosed by sale thereof at the time and place above mentioned.

CHARLES F. EMERY, Trustee.
Dec. 29, 1881—d7d

TRUSTEES' SALE.

Whereas, Henry W. Michener and Hannah Michener, on the 15th day of December, 1874, made their certain deed of trust, conveying to Peddicord & Burrows, trustees, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The east half of the northeast quarter of section seven (7), and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section eight, all in township eighteen, north, range one east of the third principal meridian, to secure payment of one promissory note of the said Henry W. Michener, of even date therewith, for the sum of $2,000, payable five years after date to the order of Anna M. Backus, with interest at ten per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, which deed of trust is recorded in the Recorder's Office of Macon county, Illinois, in Book "S," Page 617; that at the maturity of said note time of payment thereof was extended to December 15th, 1881;

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that in case default shall be made in payment of said principal sum of money, or any part thereof, when the same becomes due and payable, on application of Anna M. Backus, or the legal holder of said note—having first given twenty days' notice by publishing the same in a newspaper printed in the county where the premises are situated—it shall be lawful for said party of the second part to sell said premises at public sale at such time and place as said party of the second part may appoint; and whereas, said principal note is past due and wholly unpaid, and upon which there will be due January 20th, A. D. 1882, the sum of $1040, and said Anna M. Backus having made application to the undersigned to advertise and sell said premises under the provisions of said deed of trust. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned trustees, shall, on Friday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1882, at the hour of 12 o'clock M., at the west outside door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the above described premises, and upon making sale thereof, will make to the purchaser a good and sufficient deed of the premises.

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